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Dear Dr. Lederberg:

Thank you very much for your letter of July 31 which I found today on return from my vacation. We have obtained some very interesting results in our work with the Salmonellas using techniques slightly different from yours, although I am not sure at the moment whether our results can be interpreted as "gene recombination." I hope to be able within a week or so to write you in full about what we have done and the results obtained.

This note is just to express my appreciation for and to acknowledge your letter. As soon as the registration mess is over with here you will hear from me in detail.

Sincerely yours,

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S. C. Rittenberg